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PETITION TO ADD AN INVENTOR UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.324

Sir:

This petition is to correct inventorship of the above-identified patent under 37 C.F.R. §1.324. Please add the following previously unnamed persons as inventors of this patent:

Shaun B. Crawford and Cuc K. Huynh

In support of this Petition are the following documents:

1. A statement from Shaun B. Crawford and Cuc K. Huynh. This statement notes that the inventorship error occurred without any deceptive intention on their part;

2. A statement from the current named inventors who have not submitted a statement under paragraph (b)(1) of 37 C.F.R. §1.324 agreeing to the change of inventorship;

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3. A statement from a duly authorized representative of International Business Machines Corp., an assignee of the parties submitting a statement under paragraphs (b)(1) and (b)(2) of 37 C.F.R. 1.324 agreeing to the change of inventorship in the patent. This statement complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b); and

4. The fee set forth in § 1.20(b).

Please charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 09-0458.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Andrew M. Calderon", written over a horizontal line.

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**ASSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO ADDITION TO
ORIGINAL NAMED INVENTOR(S)**


Sir:

International Business Machines Corporation, assignee of the entire interest of the above-identified application (Assignee) hereby assents to the correction of inventorship to include Shaun B. Crawford and Cuc K. Huynh as requested in the Petition being filed simultaneously herewith.

Evidence of Assignee's ownership is shown in the Assignments recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on September 27, 2004 at Reel 015831, frame 0664 and on June 30, 2003 at Reel 013764 and Frame 0906.

The undersigned is a duly authorized representative of Assignee.

Respectfully submitted
International Business Machines Corp.

By 
Richard Kotulak, Esq.

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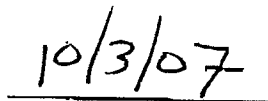
STATEMENT OF NAMED INVENTOR TO ADD ADDITIONAL INVENTORS

Sir:

I, Timothy J. Dalton, am a named inventor of the above-identified patent. I agree that Cuc K. Huynh and Shaun B. Crawford should be named as inventors of the above-identified application.



Timothy J. Dalton



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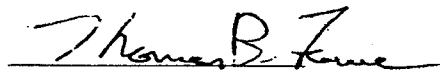
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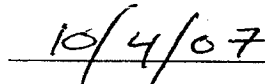
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Sir:

I, Thomas B. Faure, am a named inventor of the above-identified patent. I agree that Cuc K. Huynh and Shaun B. Crawford should be named as inventors of the above-identified application.



Thomas B. Faure



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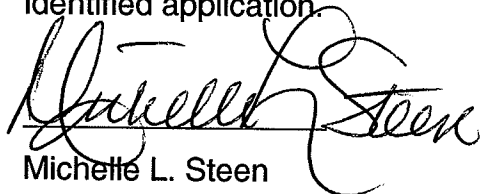
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Sir:

I, Michelle L. Steen, am a named inventor of the above-identified patent. I agree that Cuc K. Huynh and Shaun B. Crawford should be named as inventors of the above-identified application.


Michelle L. Steen

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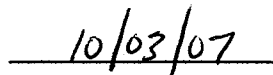
STATEMENT OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 CFR §1.324

Sir:

I, Shaun B. Crawford, am an inventor of the above-identified patent. I was not named as an inventor due to an error occurring without any deceptive intention on my part.



Shaun B. Crawford



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Cuc K. Huynh

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